

# Exhibit 1

Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: Huddleston

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From: Gillingham, James (USATXE) (james.gillingham@usdoj.gov)

To: tyclevenger@yahoo.com

Date: Thursday, February 22, 2024 at 08:06 AM CST

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Ty,

Thank you for the clarification.

James

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**From:** Ty Clevenger <tyclevenger@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 22, 2024 8:04:34 AM  
**To:** Gillingham, James (USATXE) <JGillingham@usa.doj.gov>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Re: Huddleston

I should clarify something. We're obviously not asking the FBI to stipulate to something that isn't true. If the FBI has looked at the laptops and there is no evidence of #1 or #2, then a sworn declaration to that effect also would be helpful.

On Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 07:35:22 AM EST, Ty Clevenger <tyclevenger@yahoo.com> wrote:

James,

I'm wondering if the FBI would be open to a negotiated resolution of the laptops issue. We would need to hammer out the details, but I would propose that the FBI stipulate in a declaration (1) that the laptops contain evidence that Seth Rich was a source of the DNC emails published by Wikileaks and (2) the personal laptop records indicate post-mortem deletions / tampering. In return, my client would withdraw his demand for the laptop records. Please let me know if your clients have an interest.

Ty